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Public Safety Communications Commission

WyoLink Operations Work Group Meeting Minutes for December 17, 2010 Phone Conference Call

Administrative Support Bob Symons called the meeting to order at 1:30 pm.

Roll Call: Dave Johnson, Dave Riegert, Robert Wilson, Marty McCoy, Bob Wyatt, Margaret Spearman, Dale Stalder and Bob Symons

New Business – WyoLink Legislative Demonstration

Margaret Spearman has been working with Representative Lorraine Quarberg, House Transportation Committee Chairman, to schedule the date and room in the Capitol. The current plan is for the demonstration to be held upon noon recess on Thursday, January 20, 2011 in Room 302 of the State Capitol.

The House Transportation Committee will be the lead Legislative Committee with the event being hosted by the Public Safety Communications Commission and lunch provided by Wyoming Chapter of APCO. The PSCC and WyoLink will need to develop a written announcement, approved by Rep Quarberg the week of January 11th.

The accomplishments that will be demonstrated includes WyoLink operation statewide – WyoLink works as projected, redundancy and multiple vendor products work on WyoLink. The Key points to demonstrate are: 1) P25 Compliant; 2) Operational Statewide; 3) Interoperability; 4) Dispatch Center Connectivity and redundancy; 5) What is different with WyoLink that was not capable with conventional systems.

WyoLink Support and the PSCC need to review and revise the Budget and Expense handout to make sure it is current. Copies of the Legislative Handout and PSCC Annual Report need to be available. Bob Symons will ask Wyoming Office of Homeland Security for a current grant update on grant funds spent for communications. Need to be prepared to answer questions on the current schedule of WyoLink build out compared to the PSMC plan, why WyoLink accelerated construction and what the factors were/are that slows development. Questions may be asked about why WyoLink and not cell phones or satellite connectivity.

The group needs to be prepared to discuss the Casper/Natrona County migration and the portable radio enhancement project. Torrington and Albany County are moving forward. Dale Stalder offered to have the Laramie/Albany County dispatch center participate in the demonstration.

Discussion on statewide locations for communications demonstration. The following counties should be included: Laramie, Albany, Goshen, Sweetwater, Fremont, Park, Sheridan, Campbell, Natrona, Converse, Lincoln and Uinta. The demonstration should include local agencies, state

agencies, Federal agencies and tribal. A script needs to be developed and provided to all involved participants.

Bob Symons will contact Chairman Mark Harshman to schedule another planning meeting before January $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$.

Being no further business, Administrative support Symons adjourned the meeting at 2:10 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Symons, PSCC Administrative Support